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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
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EXAMINING GROUP 3628

Docket No.: 1538.1012

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Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: BOX AF

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 6, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on September 6, 2006, the following remarks are respectfully submitted.